HOUSE BILL 3196

By Hardaway

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 4 and Title 71

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 71-3-505, is amended by deleting subdivision (c)(5) and substituting the following:

(c)(5) In addition to any punishment authorized under this subsection (c), the department may also take any licensure action authorized under this part. No later than March 30 of each year, the department shall report to the chair of the house health and human resources committee of the house of representatives, and the chair of the senate general welfare, health and human resource committee, the total number of licensure actions and the disposition of such actions taken pursuant to this subdivision (c)(5) in the previous calendar year.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect January 1, 2009, the public welfare requiring it.